## CLAIMS

1	1. An image reading device comprising:
2	a light source for providing a light;
3	an image sensor for sensing an image and
4	generating analog image signals; and
5	a light interference module for interfering
6	said light through a light path to said image
7	sensor,
8	wherein said light interference module
9	interferes said light into said image sensor and
10	thus triggers the image reading to perform a
11	predetermined procedure.
1	2. The image reading device of claim 1, further
2	comprising:
3	a focusing lens placed before said image
4	sensor, for focusing said image on said image
5	sensor.
1	3. The image reading device of claim 1, further
2	comprising:
3	a mirror for reflecting said light.
1	4. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said
2	image sensor is a charged couple device.
1	5. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said
2	image sensor is a contact image sensor.
1	6. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said

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- 2 light interference module stops said light
- 3 projecting into said image sensor.
- 7. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said
- 2 light interference module is able to move vertically
- 3 to stop said light projecting into said image
- 4 sensor.
- 1 8. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said
- 2 light interference module is able to move
- 3 perpendicular to said light in order to stop said
- 4 light projecting into said image sensor.
- 9. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein said
- 2 light interference module is able to stop said light
  - projecting into said image sensor by a rotating
- 4 movement.

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- 1 10. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein
- 2 said predetermined procedure is to performing
- 3 scanning.
  - 11. The image reading device of claim 1, wherein
- 2 said predetermined procedure is to starting a
- 3 scanning program.
- 1 12. An image reading device comprising:
- 2 a light source for providing a light;
  - an image sensor for sensing an image and
- 4 generating analog image signals; and
- 5 a light interference module for interfering

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- 6 said light through a light path to said image
  7 sensor,
  8 wherein said light interference module allows
  9 said light into said image sensor and thus triggers
- 10 the image reading to perform a predetermined
- 11 scanning procedure.